

July 26, 2013

To: Executive Board

Subject: **Public Outreach – Proposed Reroute of Line 497**

Recommendation

Authorize the Executive Director to conduct public outreach regarding the closure of the City of Industry Park & Ride and necessary rerouting of Line 497.

Analysis

Foothill Transit's Line 497 provides commuter express service to downtown Los Angeles from the Chino Hills Park & Ride and the City of Industry Park & Ride located on Sotro Street in the City of Industry. Foothill Transit is currently building a new Park & Ride structure located on Brea Canyon Road, also in the City of Industry. Sometime after the completion of construction of the Foothill Transit Park & Ride, the City of Industry plans to close the Park & Ride located on Sotro Street.

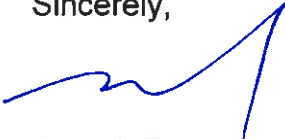
The eventual closure of the City of Industry Park & Ride will necessitate a reroute of Line 497 and solicitation of public input will be conducted. This outreach will also satisfy Federal Title VI requirements.

Public outreach is proposed to be conducted this summer with a recommendation regarding a reroute of Line 497 presented to the Executive Board at a future Board meeting.

Budget Impact

At this time, it is unknown what impact any rerouting of Line 497 will have on the FY 2014 budget. It is possible that the Park & Ride currently under construction in the City of Industry will meet the needs of those commuters currently using the City of Industry Park & Ride located on Sotro Street.

Sincerely,



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